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Nakamura et al.

Application No.: 10/538,879

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For: ELECTRONIC APPARATUS, METHOD FOR
CONTROLLING FUNCTIONS OF THE
APPARATUS AND SERVER

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Dear Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2009,
finally rejecting claims 1, 5, 7, 8, 10 and 30, please amend the
above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: